PRISON RAPE ELIMINATION ACT
ANNUAL REPORT
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Louisiana Department of Public Safety and Corrections
Secretary James LeBlanc
All PREA allegations are tracked through a secured database that can be easily accessed by the State Institutions. Only the aggregate numbers will be reported annually on the DOC website. Information reported will not be indicative of the institution, the victim, nor the aggressor. Anonymity will ensure the integrity of the process and encourage the reporting of all PREA allegations in the future. This practice will also eliminate unjust labeling of any specific institution.

ANALYSIS

During the fiscal year of 2018, there were a total of two hundred and eighty seven PREA related allegations. The number of substantiated, unsubstantiated and unfounded cases have decreased significantly. There is a slight decline in allegations as a whole which can be contributed to the overall implementation of the PREA standards and completion of required audits.

CORRECTIVE ACTION

The Department has implemented PREA and each Institution has adopted rules and regulations for the deterrence, protection, and reporting of prison rapes. These rules include but are not limited to the immediate separation of victim and perpetrator through the use of administrative segregation or suspension pending investigation for employees and if substantiated, the filing of criminal charges against the perpetrator whether staff or offender. The Department has also made anonymous third party reporting available through a toll-free number. Further specialized training has been made mandatory for the Prison Rape Elimination Act, PREA Investigators, and Medical/Mental Health staff to serve as Victim Advocates when necessary. Louisiana Department of Corrections began the audit process and has made changes to the agency regulation to continue compliance with mandatory standards. At this time, each state prison has successfully completed the PREA audit process, each facility obtaining compliance certification.
# PREA Reported

## Offender-on-Offender Allegations

### Yearly Totals (Fiscal Year)

**Total - Offender on Offender Allegations**

- **86** - Offender/Offender Sexual Abuse and Harassment Allegations
  - **32** - Non-consensual Sexual Acts Allegations (Penetration)
    - 0 - Substantiated
    - 15 – Unsubstantiated
    - 17 – Unfounded
  - **22** - Non-consensual Sexual Acts Allegations (Non-Penetrative)
    - 4 - Substantiated
    - 11 – Unsubstantiated
    - 7 – Unfounded
  - **16** - Abusive Sexual Contact Allegations (Intentional Touching)
    - 0 – Substantiated
    - 9 – Unsubstantiated
    - 7 – Unfounded
  - **16** - Sexual Harassment Allegations (Repeated)
    - 1 – Substantiated
    - 10 – Unsubstantiated
    - 5 - Unfounded
PREA Reported
Staff-on-Offender Allegations
Yearly Totals (Fiscal Year)

Total – Staff on Offender Allegations

192 - Staff/Offender Sexual Abuse Allegations

118 - Staff Sexual Misconduct Allegations (Sexual Abuse)
  3 – Substantiated
  33 – Unsubstantiated
  82 – Unfounded

65 - Staff Sexual Harassment Allegations (Repeated)
  1 – Substantiated
  35 – Unsubstantiated
  29 - Unfounded

9- Staff Voyeurism Allegations

1 – Substantiated
1– Unsubstantiated
7 - Unfounded
# PREA Reported

## Civilian-on-Offender Allegations

### Yearly Totals (Fiscal Year)

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*There are 7 investigations still pending*
Offender – On- Offender Allegations
Yearly Totals (Fiscal Year)

Nonconsensual Sexual Acts Allegations (Penetration)

Abusive Sexual Contacts Allegations (Intentional Touching)

Sexual Harassment Allegations (Repeated)
Staff – On-Offender Allegations

Yearly Totals (Fiscal Year)

Sexual Misconduct Allegations (Sexual Abuse)

- Substantiated: 3
- Unsubstantiated: 33
- Unfounded: 82

Sexual Harassment Allegations (Repeated)

- Substantiated: 1
- Unsubstantiated: 35
- Unfounded: 29

Sexual Voyeurim Allegations

- Substantiated: 1
- Unsubstantiated: 1
- Unfounded: 7
Civilian – On-Offender Allegations
Yearly Totals (Fiscal Year)

Misconduct Allegations (Sexual Abuse)

Sexual Harassment Allegations (Repeated)

Sexual Voyeurism Allegations
Civilian - on- Offender Allegations

- **Substantiated**
- **Unsubstantiated**
- **Unfounded**

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